

AURCO SCORING RUBRIC FOR STUDENT PAPERS

	Max. Points	Paper 1	Paper 2	Paper 3	Paper 4	Paper 5	Paper 6	Paper 7	Paper 8	Paper 9	Paper10	Paper 11
Three Paper Elements												
Paper Organization and Layout Creative, neat, clearly presents topic, sections support topic, uses consistent formatting	5											
Quality of Presentation Concise overview, professional, enthusiastic, engaging, articulate	5											
Knowledge of Subject Demonstrates understanding of topic, provides appropriate answers to questions, examples and limitations and/or addresses theoretical perspective	5											
Three Research Elements												
Originality of Research Largely student(s) generated idea, largely student(s) performed research	5											
Validity of Research Sound practices (effectively indicates and applies accepted methods of analysis)	5											
Scope of Research Relevant research, Comparison to past research (literature review), time and efforts to perform research	5											
Totals:	30											

Judge Name: _____

AURCO Paper Judging Guidelines – For Judges

- 1. Each paper and presentation is judged by at least 2 judges.**
- 2. Paper presentations are scheduled in blocks corresponding to AURCO's schedule. (Students should be reminded that the judging is based on the presentation and paper and any additional props or materials should not be used in their presentation.)**
- 3. Attempts should be made to question students to see if they are all knowledgeable about topic.**
- 4. Following the judging of all papers and presentations the judges will tally the rubrics and use this to help with the determination of winners.**

AURCO Poster Guidelines – For Students

- 1. Students will be asked to provide a 5 minute presentation that summarizes their research. Following the presentation students should be prepared to answer questions from the judges and audience for 5 additional minutes.**
- 2. The papers and presentations will be judged on the quality of the paper, quality of the presentation, and the quality of the research performed.**
- 3. First, Second, and/or Third place cash/check prizes are awarded depending on the number of participants.**
- 4. The check to the winning papers will be written out to the student whose name was provided on the paper entry form. It is the responsibility of that person to divide the winnings if needed.**
- 5. Students are welcome to bring any additional props, handouts, or electronic media to help demonstrate or explain their topic to visitors. These materials will not be considered for the poster judging.**

Hosting Campus Check List

- 1. Feel free to change the poster limitations to accommodate the display options available at the campus.**
- 2. Feel free to arrange other methods of hanging or displaying the posters if the host does not have easels. For example the host campus might require the students to bring an easel of their own.**
- 3. Provide or ask students to provide tables for any supplementary materials they wish to bring.**
- 4. Feel free to reduce the time allocated for the presentations if there are a large number of student participants.**